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Culbro Corporation MAY 2 5 1999 Culbro Corporation General Partnership Corporation-State New York Other Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No	Internal Address:Street Address:Street Address:Street Address:StateStateStateNYZIP
3. Nature of conveyance: □Assignment	□ Individual(s) citizenship □Association □General Partnership □Limited Partnership ■Corporation-State Delaware □Other If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: □ Yes ⋈ No (Designation must be a separate document from Assignment) Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? □ Yes ⋈ No
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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

OF

CULBRO CORPORATION

INTO

GENERAL CIGAR HOLDINGS, INC.

(Under Section 252 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware)

General Cigar Holdings, Inc., organized and existing under and by virtue of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware,

DOES HEREBY CERTIFY THAT:

FIRST: The name and state of incorporation of each of the constituent corporations of the merger is as follows:

Name

State of Incorporation

Culbro Corporation

New York

General Cigar Holdings, Inc.

Delaware

SECOND: An Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement") between the parties to the merger has been approved, adopted, certified, executed and acknowledged by each of the constituent corporations in accordance with the requirements of subsection (c) of Section 252 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

THIRD: The name of the surviving corporation of the merger is General Cigar Holdings, Inc.

FOURTH: The effective date of the merger is August 29, 1997.

FIFTH: The certificate of incorporation of General Cigar Holdings, Inc., the surviving corporation, shall be the certificate of incorporation of the surviving corporation.

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SIXTH: The executed Merger Agreement is on file at the principal place of business of General Cigar Holdings, Inc. at 387 Park Avenue South, New York, 10016-8899.

SEVENTH: A copy of the Merger Agreement will be furnished by the surviving corporation, on request and without cost, to any stockholder of any constituent corporation.

EIGHTH: Culbro Corporation has authorized capital stock consisting of Ten Million (10,000,000) shares of common stock, par value \$1.00 per share and One Million (1,000,000) shares of preferred stock, par value \$1.00 per share, which shares of preferred stock are issuable in one or more series.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, General Cigar Holdings, Inc. has caused this certificate to be signed by Edgar M. Cullman, Jr., its President, and A. Ross Wollen, its Secretary, on the 18th day of August, 1997.

GENERAL CIGAR HOLDINGS, INC.

Bv:

Edgar M. Cullman, Ir

President

ATTEST:

By:

Akosokollan A. Ross Wollen

Secretary

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